GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

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Training Programme
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Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the study of sports science has been made compulsory as part of the training programme of the sportspersons/athletes;
(b) if so, the details thereof; and
(c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
(SHRI VIJAY GOEL)
(a) & (b) Sports sciences have been made an integral part of sports diploma courses in coaching. In addition, selected coaches belonging to Sports Authority of India, State Governments and National Sports Federations are being given foreign training in sports sciences, strength & conditioning, etc. In the recent past 2 batches of 25 each have received training in the University of Birmingham.
(c) All the national campers are given sports science support along with coaching.
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